

Applicants: John H. Schneider et al Group Art Unit:

Serial No.: 10/042,985

Examiner:

Filed: October 19, 2001

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Title: TAMPER-EVIDENT EASY-OPEN SLIDER PACKAGE
AND RELATED METHODS OF MANUFACTURE

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application
is a Preliminary Amendment and an Information Disclosure Statement.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

 A fee for additional claims is not required.

 X A fee for additional claims is required. The additional fee
has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		NUMBER OF EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS:	47	-	39	=	8	x \$18 =	\$144
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS:	7	-	6	=	1	x \$84 =	\$84
TOTAL FEE DUE						\$	228

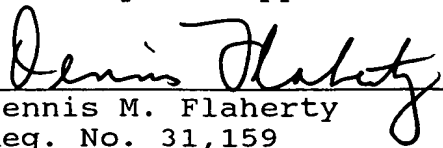
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 Please charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 15-0699 in payment
of the fee.

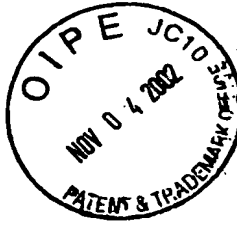
 X The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of any
extension or other fee under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 which may be required
by this paper or credit any overpayment of same to Deposit Account No.
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Respectfully submitted,

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